# COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH OVERSIGHT DIVISION

### **FISCAL NOTE**

<u>L.R. No.</u>: 3023-01 <u>Bill No.</u>: SB 743

Subject: Workers Compensation; Labor and Industrial Relations Dept.; Religion;

**Employees-Employers** 

<u>Type</u>: Original

Date: January 12, 2004

## **FISCAL SUMMARY**

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON STATE FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> State Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.

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ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	

ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS				
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	
<b>Local Government</b>	\$0	\$0	\$0	

### **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

## **ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Department of Labor and Industrial Relations** and the **Department of Insurance** assume this proposal would have no impact on their organizations.

Officials from the **Office of the Attorney General** assume that any costs resulting from the proposal could be absorbed with existing resources.

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FISCAL IMPACT - State Government	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007
	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$0</u>
FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government	FY 2005 (10 Mo.)	FY 2006	FY 2007
	<u>\$0</u>	<u><b>\$0</b></u>	<u>\$0</u>

### FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

This proposal could impact small businesses if its employees declined workers compensation coverage.

### **DESCRIPTION**

This proposal would allow some individuals to prospectively waive the protections of the Workers' Compensation Law for religious reasons.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Department of Labor and Industrial Relations Office of the Attorney General Department of Insurance

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